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Serial No.: 07/655,857)

) Examiner: T. Brown

Filed: February 15, 1991)

For: COMPUTER CONTROL SYSTEM)
FOR GENERATING GEOMETRIC)
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified patent application.

☐ _____ verified statement(s) claiming small entity status

☐ are also enclosed ☐ were submitted previously.

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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AMENDED CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADDT'L FEE
Total Claims		MINUS =		x \$20 =	
Independent Claims		MINUS =		x \$72 =	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$220.00					
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 5, 1992, kindly amend the
above-identified application, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Twice Amended) A system for controlling the formation of geometric
shapes in materials by moving a tool relative to a workpiece along multiple axes of
movement, comprising:

means defining data representative of geometric shapes to be cut or
otherwise formed in materials;

means for converting said data into a description of a path to be followed
by the tool and storing said description;

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